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OF THE

National DEBT,

Great B. and Ireland

Provided or Unprovided for by Parliament, as it stood the 31st of *December* 1728, and the 31st of *December* 1729. Together with an Account of the Produce of the *Sinking Fund* in that Year, and to the Payment of what Debts contracted before the 25th of *December* 1716, the said Fund hath been applied.

A L S O,

An ACCOUNT shewing how the Money given for the Service of the Year 1729 hath been disposed of, distinguished under the several Heads, until the 29th Day of *January* 1729, and the Parts thereof remaining unsatisfied, with the Deficiency thereupon. To which is added, a Copy of the *Pension-Bill* passed by the Commons, and rejected by the Lords.

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The South Sea Company Fund.	116254	19	7						
Money paid in by a Person unknown to be applied to the sinking Fund.		8	10						
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Money paid in on unrated Goods, imported under Value.		192	18	9	2				
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 Towards the Support of the Royal Hospital at *Greenwich*.

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The Grants towards supplying the said Services.

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750000				By the Malt, Anno 1729.
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Quarter Bills, delivered up and cancelled.

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11694	17	8	2	By Arrears of former Land Taxes.
7657	9	2		By Arrears of Malt Duty, Anno 1727.
3519352	6	10	2	
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A COPY of the *Pension-Bill*, passed by the House of Commons last Session of Parliament, and rejected by the House of Lords.

May it please Your Most Excellent Majesty,

THAT it may be enacted, and be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the Advice and Consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the Authority of the same,

That from and after the 24th Day of June 1730, no Person who shall be elected a Member, and shall Sit and Vote in the House of Commons, during any Debate there, after their Speaker is chosen, until they have taken the Oath following, and subscribe the same, to be provided by the Clerk of the House of Commons for that Purpose, viz.

I A. B. do solemnly and sincerely swear, that I have not directly or indirectly, any Pension during Pleasure, or for any Number of Years, or any Office in Part, or in the Whole, from the Crown, held for me, or for my Benefit, by any Person whatsoever; and I do solemnly and sincerely promise and swear, that I will not receive, accept or take, directly or indirectly, during the Time of my being a Member of this Parliament, any Pension during Pleasure, or for any Number of Years, or any other Gratuity or Reward whatsoever, or any Office from the Crown to be held for me, or for my Benefit, in Part, or in the Whole thereof, by any Person whatsoever, without signifying the same to this House within Fourteen Days after I have received or accepted the same, if the Parliament be then sitting, or within Fourteen Days after the next Meeting of the Parliament. So help me God.

Which Oath shall be in this and every succeeding Parliament, solemnly and publickly taken and subscribed by every Member of the House of Commons, at the Table in the Middle of the said House, at the same Time he takes the Oaths by Law directed to be taken, whilst a full House of Commons is there duly sitting with their Speaker in his Chair. And be it further enacted, That if any Member so taking the Oath, and subscribed as before directed, shall at the Time of taking the said Oath, have any Pension during Pleasure, or for Number of Years, or any Office from the Crown, in Part, or in the Whole, held in trust for him, or his Benefit; or shall during his being a Member receive, or take any Pension during Pleasure, or for any Number of Years, or any other Gratuity or Reward whatsoever, or any Office to be held for him or his Benefit from the Crown, without signifying the same to the House, as aforesaid, such Member shall be, and is hereby adjudged and declared to be Guilty of Wilful and Corrupt Perjury, and being thereof convicted by due Course of Law, shall incur and suffer the Pains and Penalties, which by the Laws and Statutes of this Realm are inflicted in Cases of Wilful and Corrupt Perjury; and shall from thenceforth be incapable of taking, holding, or enjoying any Office whatsoever.

And be it enacted, That if any Member elected as aforesaid, shall refuse or neglect to take and subscribe such Oath, as before directed, the Place for which such Person was elected is hereby, without any other Conviction or Proceeding, declared void to all Intents and Purposes, as if such Member was actually dead. And be it further enacted, That in Case any Member shall presume to sit and vote in the House of Commons, after the Speaker is chosen, without taking the Oath aforesaid, such Member shall, over and above the Penalties already inflicted, forfeit the Sum of 30*l.* for each Day he shall sit and vote, as aforesaid, to be recovered and received with full Costs of Suit by him or them, who shall sue for the same, and to be prosecuted by any Action, Suit-Bill, or Information, in any of his Majesty's Courts of Record at *Westminster*, wherein no Essoign, Protection, or Wager of Law, or more than one Imparlance, shall be admitted or allowed; and shall from thenceforth be incapable of taking, holding, or enjoying any Office or Employment of Profit or Trust under his Majesty, his Heirs or Successors, or of sitting or voting in either House of Parliament.

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